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Amendments to the specification

Please replace paragraph 0014, beginning at page, line 17 with the following rewritten paragraph:

— FIGURE 1 is a simplified block diagram of a “cable television” system similar to those of the prior art, with one subscriber connection of the cable signal to a computer;

FIGURE 2 is a simplified block diagram of a system cable television system similar to that of FIGURE 1, and including connections related to the invention;

FIGURE 3 is a simplified block diagram representing an alternative connection arrangement for a portion of FIGURE 2;

FIGURE 4 illustrates a logic flow in an exemplary digital satellite and transmission system in accordance with the present principles; and

FIGURE 5 is a simplified block diagram of an overall communications system according to an aspect of the present principles. ---